NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research 1400 Tenth Street, Room 222 P.O. Box 3044 Sacramento, CA 95814 FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation 1416 Ninth Street P.O. Box 942896

Sacramento, CA 94296-0001

PROJECT TITLE: Topanga SP--Lower Los Liones Canyon Entrance

LOCATION: Topanga State Park COUNTY: Los Angeles

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:

This project is Phase II of a previous NOE, SCH # 1997107241. This phase involves the construction of a sustainable 100 Series Comfort Station near the trailhead, an entrance kiosk and security gate, stonework on an existing trailhead wall, corten steel fencing to replace the existing chain link fence on the wall, a road oyl ADA trail to the trailhead vicinity, 2 interpretive kiosks, and ADA drinking fountain and the planting of approximately ten 24" boxed native oaks and sycamore trees and 200 native plants and shrubs.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation
NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Angeles
EXEMPT STATUS:
☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
Statutory Exemption (Section)
□ Categorical Exemption
Class: 3 & 4 Section(s): 15303 15304
REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:

No potential for significant impacts to the environment is anticipated. replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced (class 2) Consists of construction of limited numbers of new, small facilities (Class 3) Project will result in the improvement of habitat for fish and wildlife resources (class 4d)

Project does not result in the taking of endangered, rare, or threatened plant or animal species or significant erosion and sedimentation of surface waters (class 4i)

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